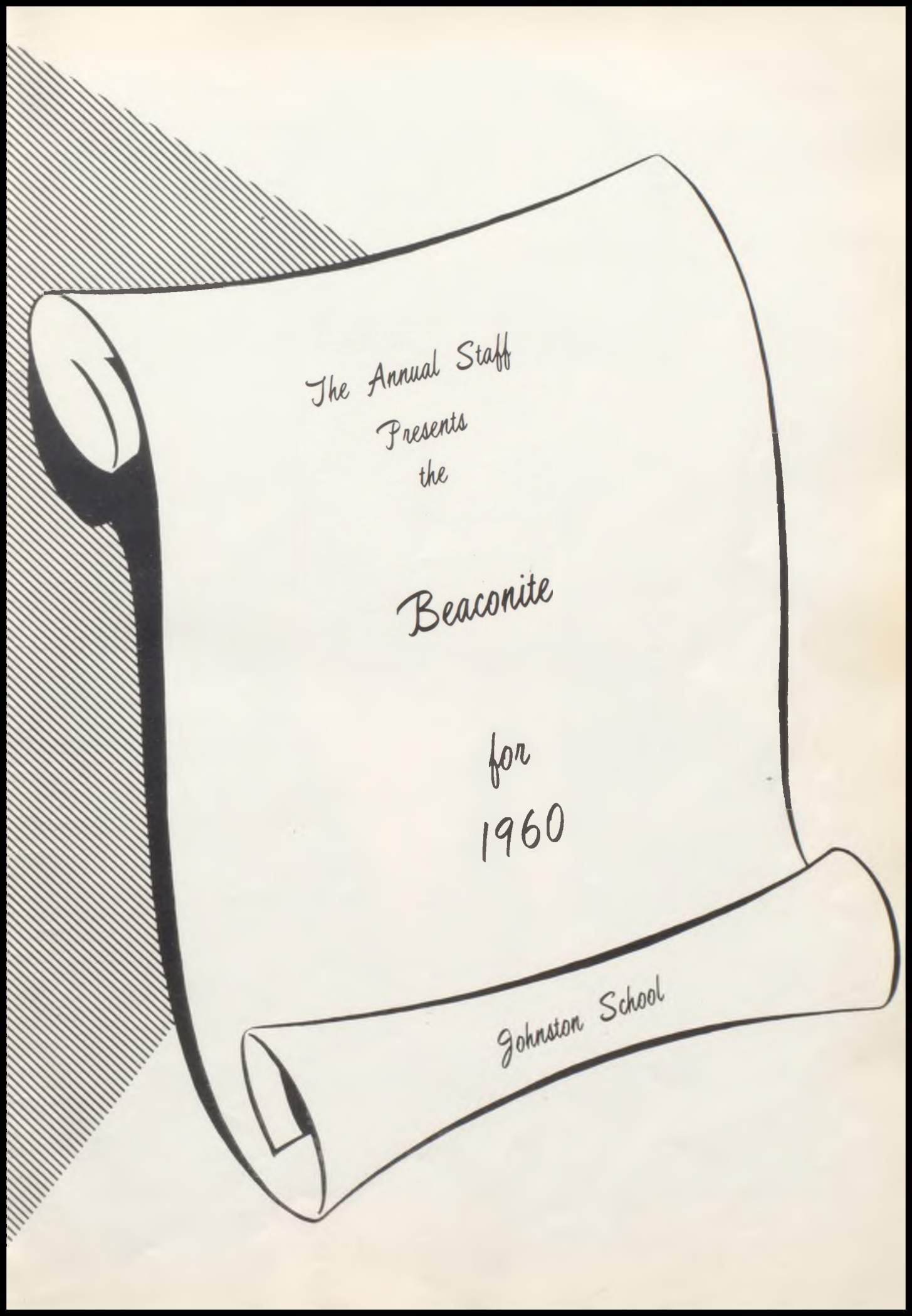


Leslie Crimes







The Annual Staff  
Presents  
the

Beaconite

for  
1960

Johnston School





As our Principal, you have encouraged, disciplined, and helped us through our high school years. So, in appreciation of your guidance and friendship we the class of 1960, dedicate this edition of "The Beaconite" to you, Mr. Sims.



# Board of Education



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Mr. James Weatherspoon

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Mrs. Ramona Ward

Secretary







To our graduating class of 1960

We salute you and wish you success in your chosen fields.

We hope you will look up! Always look up! Look ahead to the horizons out there for you to explore and conquer. Today's world is better in countless ways than yesterday's; tomorrow's can, without question, be made better still, if our high school graduates accept the responsibilities entrusted to them.

*Charles S. Varner*



# Faculty

*Mr. Sims*

Principal



*Mrs. Chismore*

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Librarian

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English, 9-10

*Mr. Benjamin*

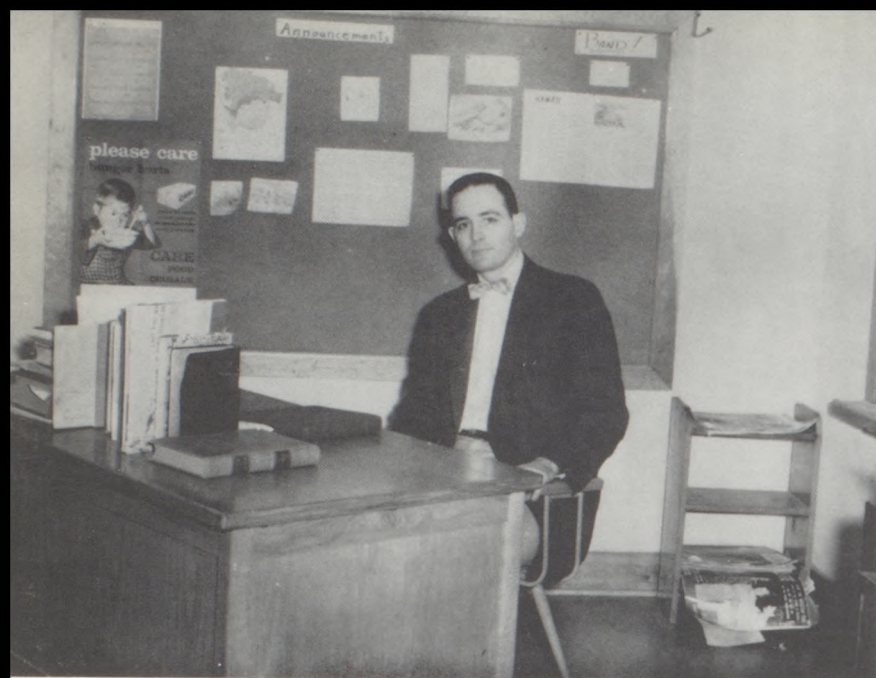
Science



*Mr. Krell*

Science





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Social Studies



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French and Typing



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Home Economics



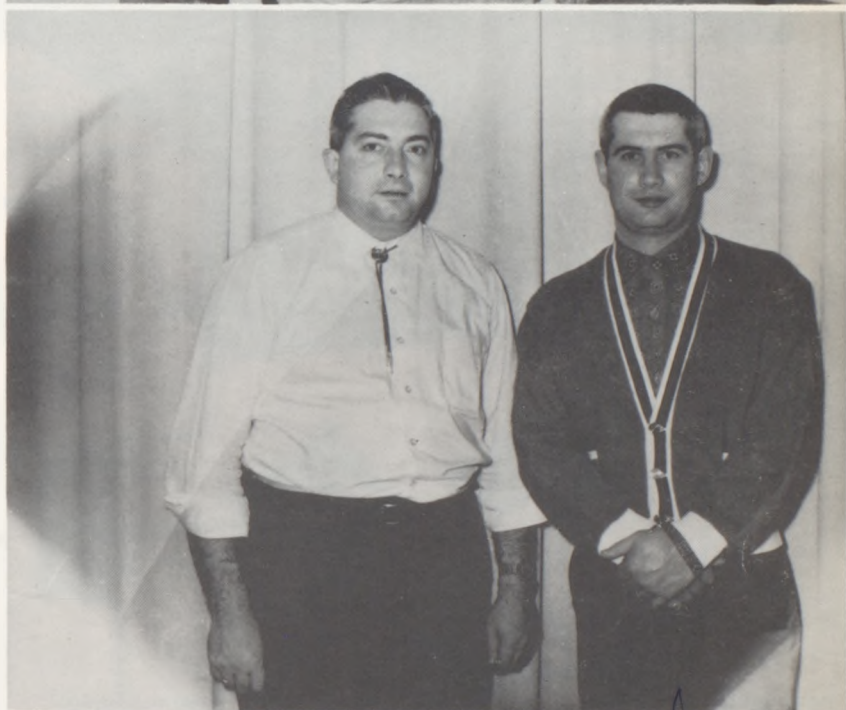
## Mr. and Mrs. Best

Instrumental Music  
Vocal Music



## Mr. Herrick

U. S. History  
Driver Training  
Physical Education



## Mr. Pugh

Coaching  
Physical Education

## Mr. Schuler

Coaching  
Shop



## Mr. Lancaster

Mathematics



## Student Council



ROW ONE, Peggy Harvey, Karen Kinsey, Dave Hanna, Marilyn Fick, Bob Gibson, Linda Lamb, Kathy Aulich. ROW TWO: Jim Rittgers, Ed Sweeney, Harry Leffler, Denny Lowry, Bob Turner, Sharon Mauk, Ken Rittgers, Jeff Voorhees, Jim Rodine, Doug Lyman.

## Annual Staff

Staff Photographer  
Dennis Stillwell



ROW ONE: Alicia Brown, Carole May, Alene Aulich, Leslie Grimes, Juanita Fogel, Sandra Strauss. ROW TWO: Marilyn Gilligan, Allyson Grimes, Jackie Weatherspoon, Marilyn Greif, Suzi Canon, Dennis Stillwell, Kathy Sorenson, Dianne Gray, Susan Moss, Elvera Seibert, Donna Clements.







**Seniors**





Class President  
KENNETH RITTGERS "Ken"

"All the sleep I need is just 5 minutes more."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Class Officer 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Science Club 4.



Vice-President  
DAN TERRY "Magroo"

"A young man who blushes is better than one who turns pale."

Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 4; Class Play 3; Track 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4.

Secretary  
SANDRA HENNINGS "Sandy"

"Full of fun and mischief too, likes things she shouldn't do."

Basketball 1, 2; Class Play 3; Class Officer 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2; Paper Staff 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Nurses Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4.



Treasurer  
DELORES KAY TASLER "Katy"

"The way to have a friend is to be one."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2; Class Officer 4; Letter Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3.





Student Council President  
HARRY LEFFLER

"A combination hard to beat, scholar, friend, and athlete"

Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Paper Staff 3; Pep Club 4; Student Council 1, 3, 4; Band 1; Class Officer 1; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Science Club 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Latin Club 1; French Club 3; Annual Staff 3.



Student Council Representative  
ROBERT LOCKE GIBSON "Bob"  
"If there isn't anything to do, let me do it"

Football 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Golf 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Student Council 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Letter Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



Student Council Representative  
DENNY LOWRY "Peanuts"

"A man not after every woman's heart"

Football 1, 2, 3; Track 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4.



Student Council Representative  
SHARON LEE MAUK "Mauk"

"Full of pep, vim, and vitality"

Student Council 4; Attendant 4; Paper Staff 4; Library 4.







ALENE L. AULICH

"Whatever she undertakes she does"

Basketball 1; Class Play 3, 4; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Honor Society 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; French Club 3.

CHRISTINE ANNE BEUGIN "Chris"

"Not too tall, not too small, she's a gal that's liked by all"

Basketball 1; Class Play 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Chorus 2; Science Club 4; French Club 3; Pep Club 4.



ALICIA BROWN "Brownie"

"With her ability success has an easy path"

Class Play 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Paper Staff 2, 3, 4; All State Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Solo 2; French Club 3.



DARLENE BROWN "Brownie"

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world"

Class Play 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.



CARLEEN BRUST

"Sugar and spice and everything nice; one of these days she'll be sprinkled with rice"

Class Officer 2; Office Worker 4; Pep Club 4; Class Play 3.

JUDITH BUSSMAN "Judie"

"Time is dull but I shall sharpen it"

Pep Club 4.





DERALD CARUTHERS

"Speed"

"All that I've learned I've forgotten, and all that I know, I've guessed"

Football 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2; Class Play 3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2; Basketball 1; Paper Staff 3,4; Pep Club 4; Science Club 2,3,4; Letter Club 3,4.

SHARON DEARCHS

"Be silent and be safe"

Class Play 3; Nurses Club 3.



KATHY DUNN

"Kath"

"Lends a helping hand when called upon"

Class Play 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Flute Solo 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Nurses Club 3,4; Vocal Solo 1,2,3,4; All State Trio 3; Latin Club 1; Bible Club 4; Pep Club 4.



JERRY FLUG

"Flug"

"His head's in the clouds"

Football 4; Class Play 3,4; Student Manager 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Letter Club 4; Bible Club 4; Pep Club 4; French Club 4.



JUANITA FOGEL

"Figel"

"A real go-getter"

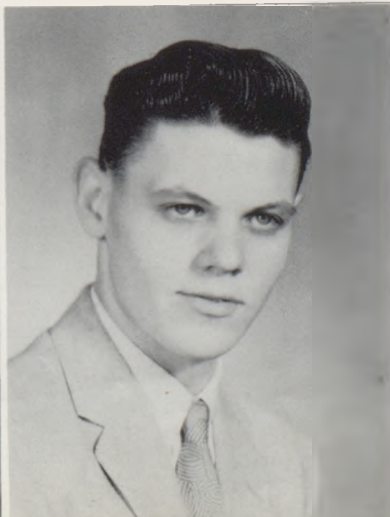
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GUY FREEMAN

"Buckwheat"

"His eyes spell mischief, his smile spells Hi! We all like him, he's a wonderful guy"

Football 3,4; Basketball 3; Track 3; Letter Club 3,4; Pep Club 4.







SUZANNE GILLIGAN

"Susie"

"Worry little, study less, that's my idea of happiness"

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Class Play 3; Letter Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Solos 1, 2, 3.



MELVIN GREIF

"Mel"

"All work and no fun is no life for me"

Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2.



LESLIE GRIMES

"Les"

"Small but she gets results"

Class Play 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Pep Club 4; Chorus 1, 2; Science Club 4; Paper Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 1; Annual Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1.

DENNIS P. HOCKMUTH

"Hock"

"An innocent face but you never can tell"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Pep Club 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Bible Club 4; French Club 3; Science Club 2, 3, 4.



GEORGE KIRKPATRICK

"Kirk"

"I'll try anything once"

Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Class Play 3, 4.



JANICE KRANTZ

"Jan"

"Men disturb me, but I like to be disturbed"

Basketball 1, 2; Class Officer 1; Pep Club 4; Chorus 1, 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Paper Staff 4; Band 1; French Club 3; Latin Club 1.





SANDRA JEANNE MC MAINS "Sandy"

"I chatter as I go and I go on forever"

Class Play 3,4; Chorus 1; Band 1,3,4; Nurses Club 3,4; Teachers Aide 4; Pep Club 4; Pep Band 3, 4; Latin Club 1.

BARBARA MARTIN "Barb"

"Burdens become light when cheerfully borne"

Class Play 3; Pep Club 4.'



CAROLE MAY

"She's the girl who does her own thinking"

Basketball 1,2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 1,2; Band 1,2; Paper Staff 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Class Attendant 1; Letter Club 1,2,3,4; French Club 3; Basketball Student Manager 4; Latin Club 1; Solos 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3; Honor Society 3,4.



JEANNINE MAZZA

"She's always willing and ready for a good time"

Teachers Aide 4.



JANET MEAD

"Janet"

"Charming, sweet, and always neat"

Basketball 1,2,3; Golf 3; Solos 1,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Sports Official 1; Field Hockey 2,3; Archery 3.

IRENE MISHLER

"Reneie"

"Friendly to talk to, nice to know"

Student Council 1; Chorus 1,2; Class Officer 1; Band 1; Science Club 1; Paper Staff 1; Bible Club 1,4.







JAMES OLSASKY

"Jim"

"True to his word, his work, his friends"

Track 4.



HARRY PONTIOUS

"Like the wise old bird, often seen, but not heard"

Band 3; Honor Society 3, 4; French Club 3.



RONALD RITTGERS

"Ron"

"Thinking is the hardest word there is"

AMBITION: Test Pilot

SUSAN RUTH

"Susie"

"Each mind has its own method"

Band 2, 3; Pep Club 4; Library 4.



DWAYNE SMEDES

"Wayne"

"Why work longer, it's time to play"



JAMES C. STEVENS

"Jim"

Band 1, 2; Class Play 3; Track 3, 4.





SIDNEY L. STOCKER

"Tab"

"The way to a man's heart is through his stomach"

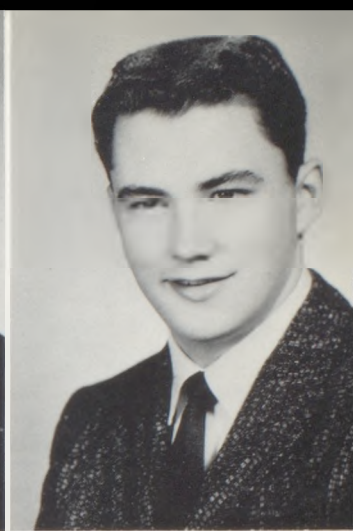
Football 3; Track 3.

DAVID M. STOREY

"Dave"

"A leader of men, a follower of women"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1; Science Club 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Class Play 3; Honor Society 2, 3, 4.



SANDRA STRAUSS

"Sandy"

"Her heart is like a trolley: always room for one more"

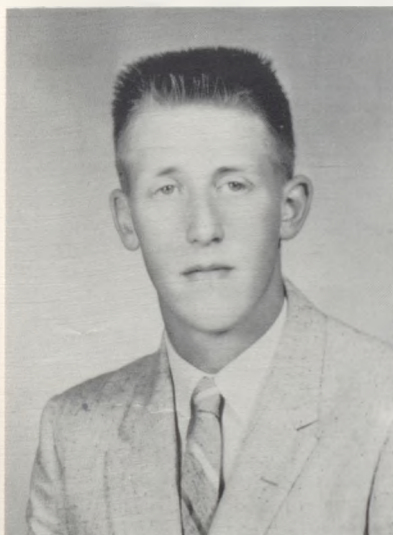
Class Play 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Paper Staff 3; Annual Staff 3, 4; Band 3; Student Council 2; Cheerleader 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1; Letter Club 3, 4; French Club 3; Bible Club 4.



LEE THIESFELD

"I'm a smart guy but I have a hard time convincing anyone"

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Student Council 1; Chorus 1; Letter Club 3; Class Play 4; Science Club 2, 3; Eagle Scent, Post Master Counselor of DeMolay; Band 2, 3.



JUDY WADDELL

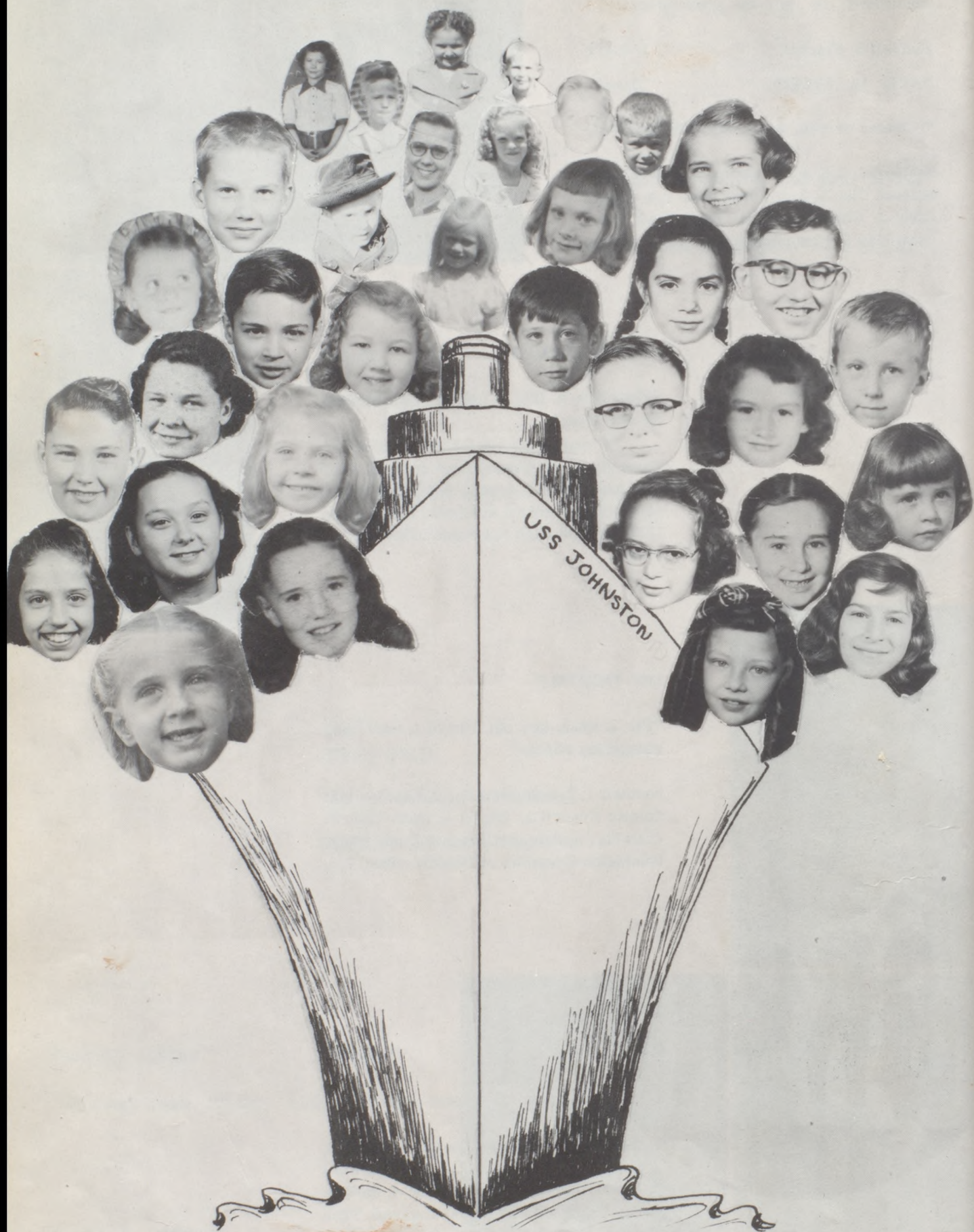
"Waddle"

"She sighs at many, but loves only one"

Basketball 1; Class Play 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3; Letter Club 3, 4; Teachers Aide 4; Basketball Student Manager 2, 3; Youngers Teen Board 4; Solos 3; Saxophone Quartet 2, 3, 4.









# Senior Class Log

The fall of 1947 marks the era when our school voyage began. Although we didn't realize it at the time, our sails were set for greater knowledge, and the many experiences that we were to share would carry us through life. Suzanne Gilligan, Dennis Hockmuth, Janice Krantz, Harry Leffler, Harry Pontious, Ronald Rittgers, Ken Rittgers, Dwayne Smedes, Delores Tasler, Alene Aulich, Derald Caruthers, and Barbara Martin began this run, and our starting line was Kindergarten with Miss Helen Larson as our Captain. We were divided into two crews called the Reds and the Blues, each taking his turn at the helm of learning. Many tasks seemed difficult, but did not prove to be insurmountable, for by Spring each of us had learned to follow reading from left to right, to print our names, to spell a few big words, and some of us even learned to tie our shoes! Tho' our days were busy, we took time out to entertain our mothers for Mother's Day, with our crew's band performing beautifully.

The second run of our journey found Mrs. Frances Helms and Mrs. Berniece Kesterson at the helm. Christine Beugin, Alicia Brown, Sharon Dearchs, and Jim Olsasky were added to the crew. Times weren't quite so hard for us, for now we could skillfully read and print. However, we learned that we still had a long way to go before perfecting these skills to suit our captains. One bright, spring day we got shore leave to visit the home of one of our crew members. We appeared quite unannounced, but the Mother rallied and was a gracious hostess.

In 1950, Sandra Strauss and Susan Ruth joined our crew with Mrs. Merle Wilson and Mrs. Harriet German commanding the ship. About half-way through this cruise Captain German retired, leaving half of the crew members somewhat bewildered. However, the Board of Navigation engaged another Captain, Mrs. Edna Trickey, and the voyage continued without delay. Much excitement occurred aboard ship in the spring when plans were made for "Grade Relays." A queen was picked by the crew members; baton twirlers, rope jumpers, tug o' war teams, and foot racers practiced for days for the big event. Before this cruise had ended, we received a welcome flash from our retired captain--It's a boy!

The fourth voyage found us changing ships because of needed additional facilities and repairs; therefore, we boarded the "Camp Dodge." Captain Trickey decided to transfer with us, so she and Mrs. Lillian Huston charted our course. Because of overseas duty, Captain Huston left us, and Mrs. Irene Taylor took the wheel. Changing ships brought many new experiences; for instance, there was one place we knew positively was "haunted" and each dared the other to go near. One time the boys found a can of worms and proceeded to dump them on those silly girls. Learning was continued in reading, writing, and arithmetic. We also became fairly good at composing and writing original stories and poems. We studied "Indian Lore" and with special shore leave, visited a building which contained many Indian relics.

With one new member, Jerry Flug, this part of the cruise began with Miss Clarice Orcutt and Miss Kay McLaughlin as our guides. We were happy to get back to the original berth, the U. S. S. Johnston, and we were honored to occupy some of the new staterooms just built. The trip went along smoothly, but it was sometimes necessary for a strong paddle to be kept available in case of any misdemeanors. In learning, the sea became a little rough, or perhaps we should say it required more thinking and effort. Imagine! by the end of this run we were working short division.

In Fifth Grade, Melvin Greif, Kathy Dunn, and Leslie Grimes signed on. This journey had just begun with Mrs. Thelma Norris and Mrs. Mary Young piloting the ship, when one crew member announced she was taking a cruise into foreign waters, to Trinidad. We bade her farewell with the promise that she would share her experiences with us when she returned. Entertainment took a great stride when we performed a play called, "Clementine," written by Kathy Dunn. Otherwise, ship duty had become a regular routine.

Mrs. Ruth Tibbel and Mrs. Marilyn Smith steered the ship this run with Sandra Hennings and Carole May added to the crew list. Along the shore line, we gathered various rocks and each of us made up a nice collection, and reviewed some of the things we had learned aboard at our last Mother's Coffee. We were beginning to feel quite grown-up at this point in our career, and figured we were half-way through our required educational course.

On the eighth lap, David Storey shipped out with us. Each of the crew felt proud of his "Junior High" rank, and soon learned that it involved more detailed work, longer hours, and stricter rules, as well as four officers in command. They were: Mrs. Jean Den Hartog, Mrs. Elsie Jansen, Mrs. Joyce Hendrikson, and Mr. Oburn Herrick. First Aid was practiced and despite a harried teacher, we passed the test with flying colors--well, we passed!

The ninth run of our sailing careers was truly the highlight of the entire cruise. Sandra McMains, Carlene Brust, and Denny Lowry were taken aboard and Mr. Gary Oliver was added to the ship's staff. During this run, more privileges were gained, and we were even permitted to pass to the various state-rooms. In extra activities, many hours were spent harmonizing together under the command of Miss Ada Maxson. The tooting of horns was also enjoyed by some of the crew under the direction of Mr. Harry Smith. Basketball, baseball, and track had eager participants under the guidance of Mr. Herrick, and we were proud to say that we came out on the winning side of the game several times. Much hustle and bustle occurred aboard in preparation for the day when all junior-grade crew members would be promoted to senior grade. Shoes were polished, special apparel was pressed, faces shined, all duties completed, leaving everything in "ship shape" order. Those of us who sailed these years together realized that this promotion was not the end of our voyage, but a mere stepping stone to higher and greater educational realms.

Once more the U. S. S. Johnston was scrubbed down and polished, ready for our voyage on the high seas, for now we were beginning our passage as senior grade crew members. Much excitement was aboard ship with Captain C. S. Varner at the helm, a capable staff of officers including Mr. Schuler, Mr. Paul Sloan, Mrs. Edith Cassaday, Mr. Floyd Lancaster, Mrs. Bernice Scott, and Mrs. Helen Berry, and a group of new faces added to the crew. These were Guy Freeman, George Kirkpatrick, Judy Waddell, Darlene Brown, and Bob Gibson. Although we were considered new hands on deck by the Superior crew, we still felt quite important, for now we could take part in the extra functions and elect representatives for the ship's crew council. We now conducted our own crew meetings, electing officers and making plans for the coming years of the journey, and we also gave more time and effort to our studies aboard ship. Great plans were made for the first big event, Homecoming. We elected a queen's attendant from our group and helped in constructing a float and in completing decorating plans. In the spring, we went to our first dress-up affair--the Athletic Banquet--where many shipmates were honored.

The next leg of our journey found Juanita Fogel, Jeannine Mazza, Sidney Stocker, Dan Terry, and Jim Stevens on hand, along with Mrs. Varner, Mr. Harry Smith, Mr. Ray Pugh, and Mrs. Viola Wehring, as "Top Brass." For the first time in the ship's history, we were permitted to dress like hoboes for one day, which was quite a change from the usual attire, and got away with monkey shines usually not OK'ed by our commanders. This run of the voyage became more difficult, and all questioned if they would ever make the grade. Another "first" on board the U.S.S. Johnston was a Semi-Formal dance for all crew members. There was much preparation and primping weeks ahead for this gala event. Toward spring, the entire crew went full speed ahead in a campaign for Crew Council President, and through all the confusion it was quite successful.

In 1958 we were Junior crew members, just one step from top rank. With a few new officers in charge of the crew: Mr. Krell, Mrs. Keeton, Miss Fowler, and Mrs. Best, and a new shipmate, Judie Bussman, we were on our way toward new adventures. The first item of importance was the selection of class rings. After receiving them in the spring, there was the age-old question, "From where will the money come?" As has always been the custom, the Juniors must earn lots of greenbacks in order to promote the annual affair of honoring the Senior crew members--the Junior-Senior Prom. Our first venture was to master a play entitled, "The Bus Stops Here." We also had a concession stand at every activity on this voyage, and through



work and co-operation, profit was gained. In our school of learning, the thought of preparing a Junior Theme was constantly in our minds, and the deadline date was drawing near. Practically all of us were making that last-minute effort to get it to our superior officer on time. A group of us were permitted to leave ship to attend "Veisha" at Ames--a day well spent. The time for which we had worked so diligently, to honor our Seniors, finally came. We left ship in full dress, and went to the Hotel Savery for this special evening. Clever decorations and program added to the May Day theme.

Ahoy! the last run of the journey had begun with new crew members: Janet Mead, Irene Mishler, and Lee Theisfeld, and new officers: Mrs. Chismore, Mr. Sims, Mr. Davitt, and Mr. Best. On this lap, our first activity was Homecoming, where our homecoming representatives were crowned Queen and Princess. The bonfire, snake dance, and pep meeting made it a happy occasion, and although the weather on the night of the game was quite damp, it did not dampen our spirits in the least. Off the ship once more for Career Day at Drake. How well the day was planned for us and the other ship's crews. Again, we took the stage for another dramatic production entitled, "Play It Smart"--it was a sell-out. Many decisions were made this last lap--crew colors, motto, announcements, skip day, and future plans. Contest and musical events were also squeezed into the few short days remaining. The Junior-Senior Prom was extra special this time, for we were the honored guests.

At last, the last week of our passage aboard U. S. S. Johnston was at hand, with the traditional Baccalaureate and Commencement. This much of our voyage has been rough, but we have crossed the bay; the ocean lies ahead.

Now, as each mate sails out alone  
We pray that his guiding star  
Will point the way to real success  
As he aims for his goal afar.



MOST SHY  
Jim Olsasky



CLASS FLIRTS  
Bob Gibson  
Sandra McMains



MOST DRAMATIC  
Juanita Fogel

*Who's*



BEST SENSE  
OF HUMOR  
George  
Kirkpatrick

FRIENDLIEST  
Judy Waddell  
Dan Terry







BEST DRESSED  
Carole May



MOST  
INTELLECTUAL  
Harry  
Pontious

*Who*



MOST LIKELY  
TO SUCCEED  
Harry Leffler

PRETTIEST EYES  
Leslie Grimes



BEST  
ATHLETE  
Ken  
Rittgers



# *Senior Honor Students*



Harry Pontious

Janice Krantz

Dennis Hockmuth

Alene Aulich

Harry Leffler







# Juniors

# Junior



Elvera Seibert  
Secretary



Dave Hanna  
President



Bob Crees  
Vice-President

# Class



Patsy Johnson  
Treasurer



Karen Kinsey  
Student Council



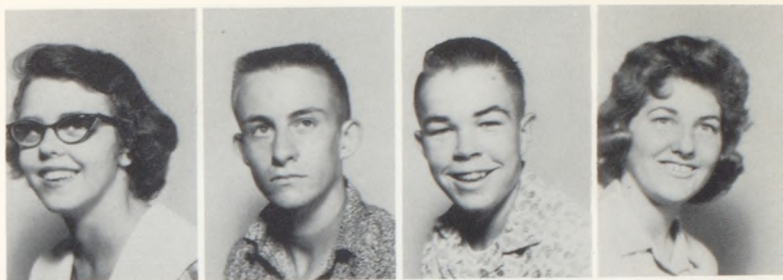
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Student Council



Peggy Harvey  
Student Council



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 Raymond Beall  
 Helen Breckenridge



Dwight Brown  
 Lonnie Bullis  
 Barbara Downing  
 Sharon Eaton



Jerry Evans  
 Max Finch  
 Janet Fraizer  
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Dianne Gray  
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 Larry Hon  
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 David Lutz

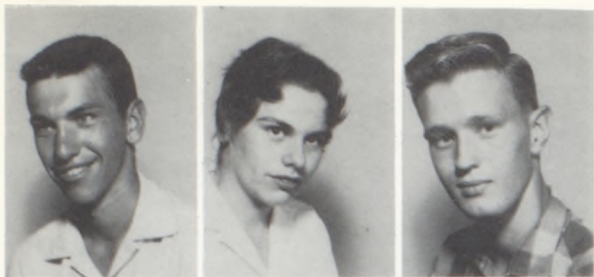


Connie McBroom  
 Judi McGehee  
 Sue McNeill  
 Nancy McPherson



Georginia Madison  
 Judith Madole  
 Charles May  
 Bob Mishler





Jim Monahan  
Sally Monahan  
Tom Morehead



Susan Moss  
Jean Newlin  
Russell Orr



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Tom Raygor  
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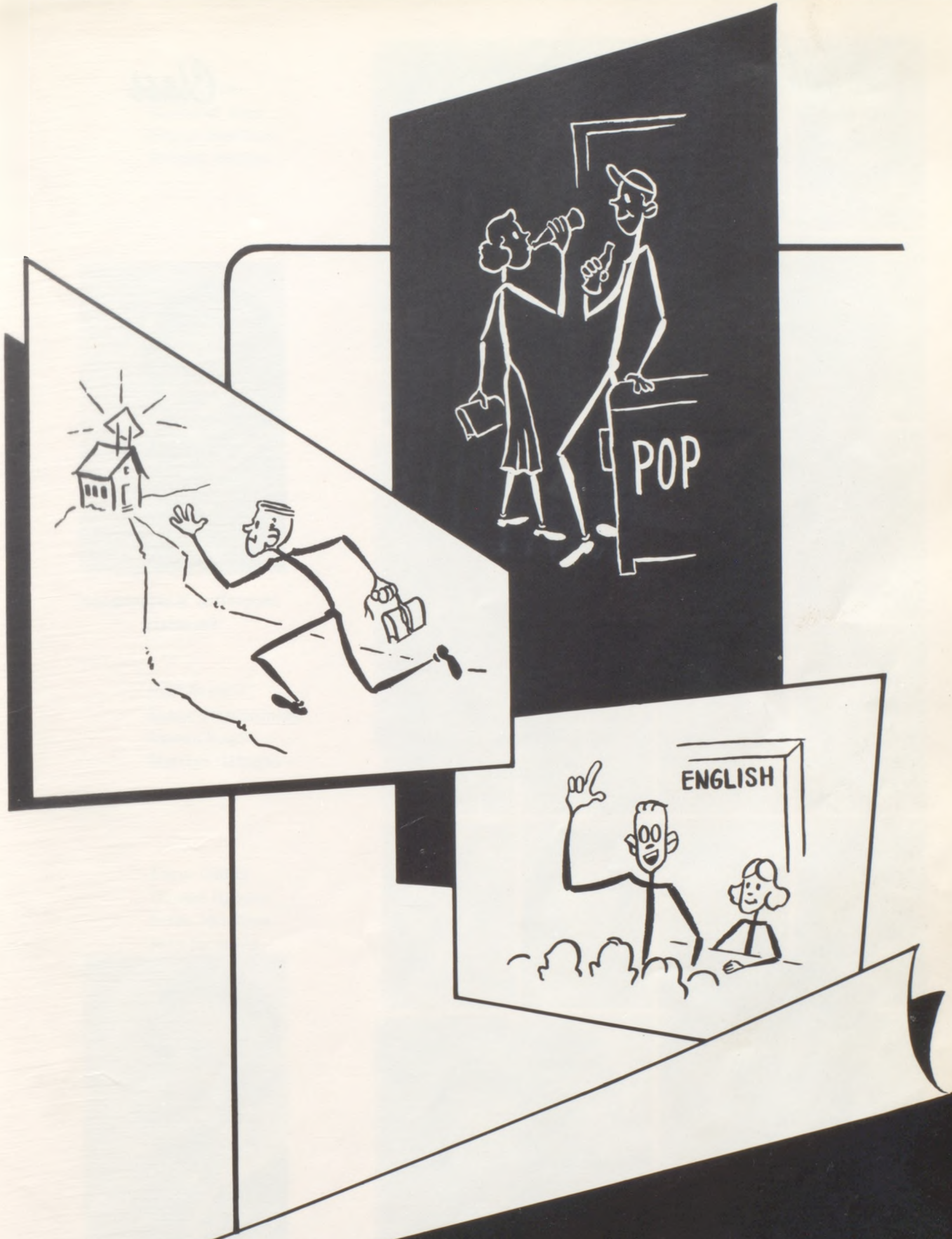


Sharon Smith  
Ted Sommars  
Kathy Sorenson



Gary Tandy  
Margaret Van Oel  
Earl Warne  
Gary Westbrook





# Sophomores

# Sophomore

# Class



Jerry Wilson  
Vice-President



Bob Turner  
President



Jacqueline Weatherspoon  
Secretary



Susan Canon  
Treasurer



Jeff Voorhees  
Student Council



Marilyn Fick  
Student Council



Ed Sweeney  
Student Council



Judy Bacon  
 Raymond Betz  
 Sharyn Bowman  
 Barbara Boylan



Carol Brafford  
 Tom Chadwick  
 Donna Clements  
 Terry Culver



Lamoine Darr  
 Mervin Davis  
 Joyce Dent  
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John Evans  
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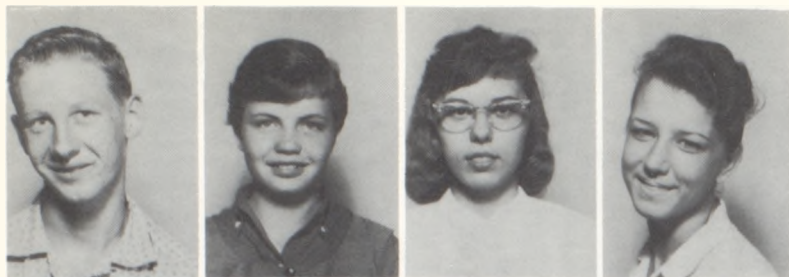
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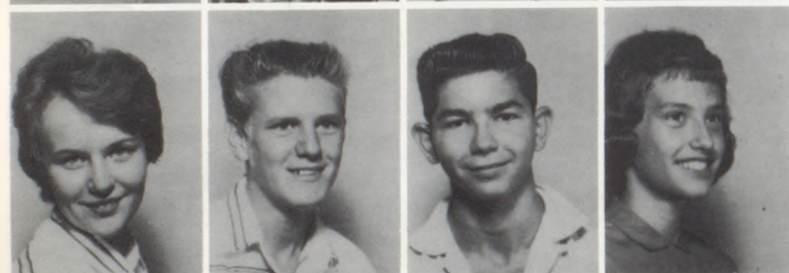
Dana McClaskey  
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Lavenia Main



Denny Myer  
Marilyn Olcott  
Carl Palmer  
Judy Patrick



Nancy Pontious  
Jim Reichenbach  
Sandy Reier  
Norma Louise Rice



Donna Ricke  
Fred Robinette  
Jon Schuler  
Sue Strauss



Judy Sullivan  
Paula Surber  
Sandra Sweet  
Susan Tanner



Dick Tasler  
Leland Tharp  
John Theisen  
Mary Theisen



Donna Thompson  
Dwight Webster  
Keith Westbrook  
Bill Winters

Absent: Dan Mark





**Freshmen**



Deborah Robinette  
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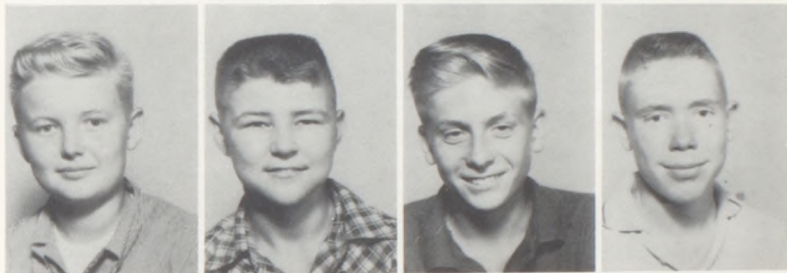
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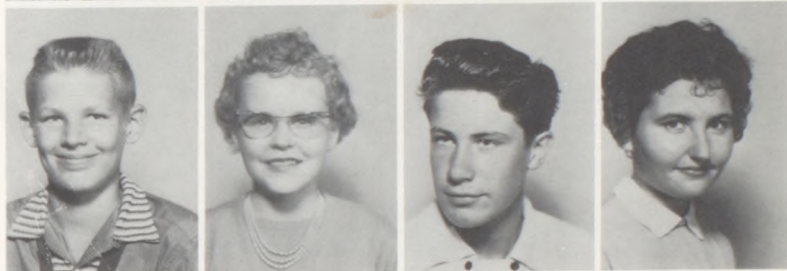
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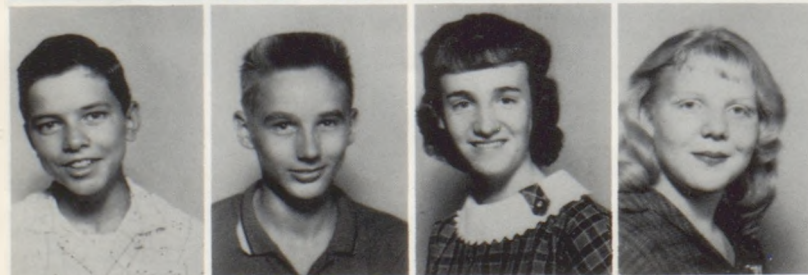
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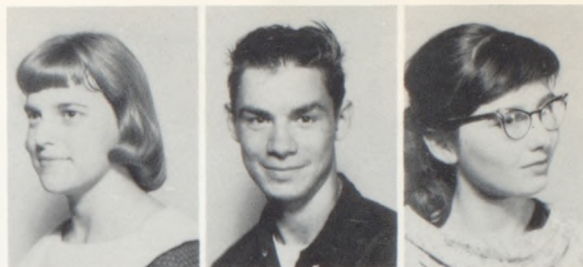
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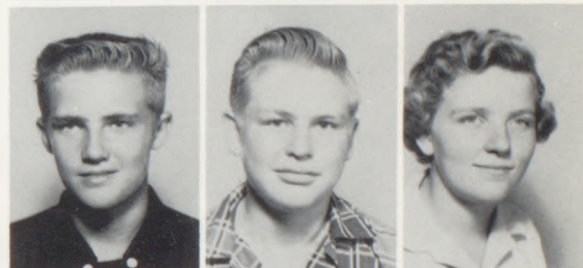
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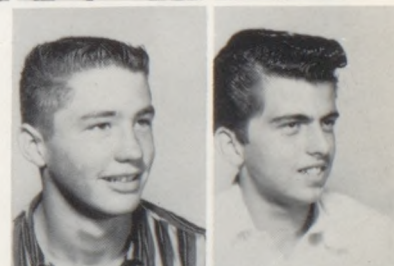
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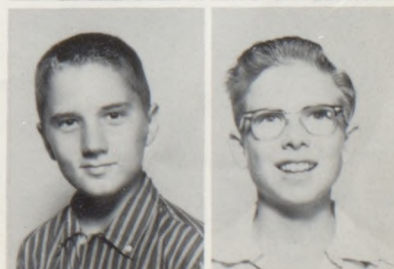
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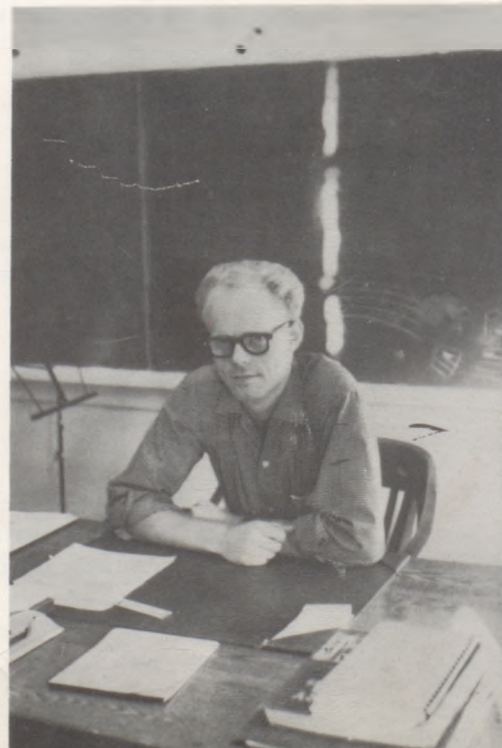
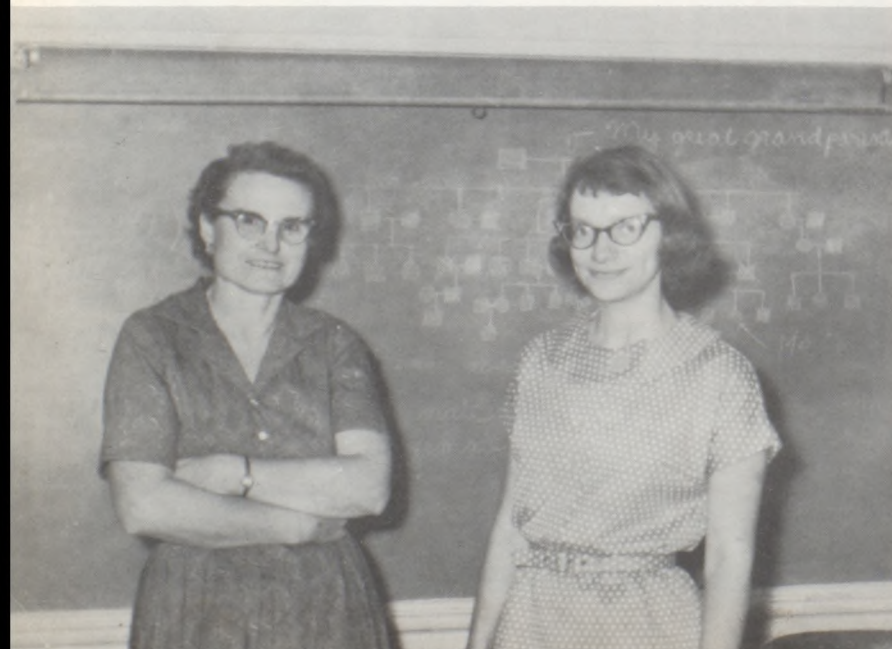
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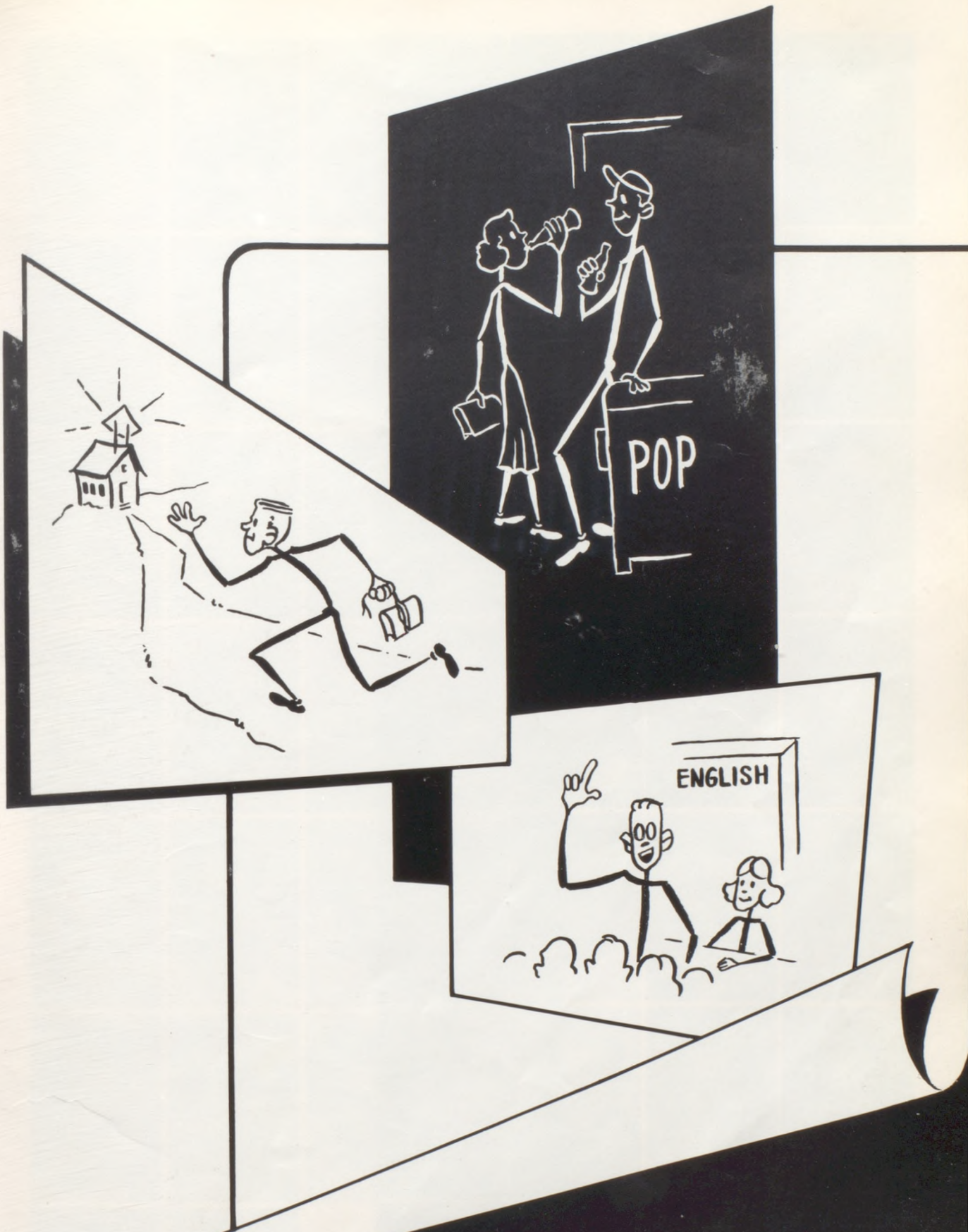
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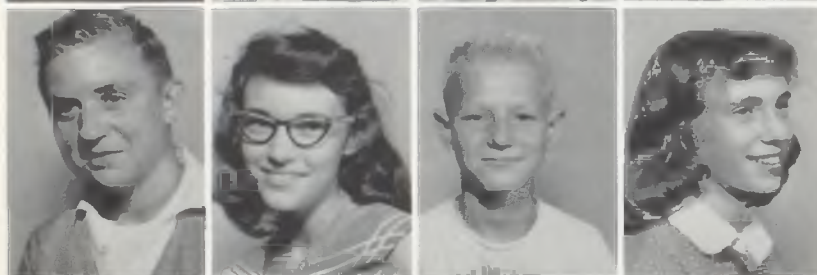
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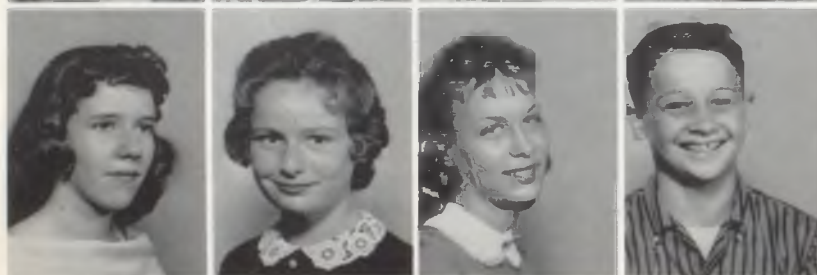
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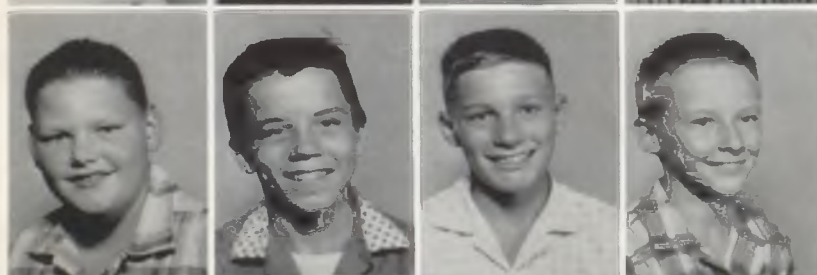
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Susan Bussman  
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Vernon Dodd  
Jim Downing



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Janice Sharp



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Susan Sullivan  
Thomas Trowbridge  
Thomas Wright





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Ronnie Burns  
Carole Champ  
Rodney Clarkson



Bert Dobbins  
Ronnie Driskill  
Shirley Engleen  
Paul Fagen



Suzanne Faris  
Robert Fulton  
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Robin Hand  
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Irene Wheeldon



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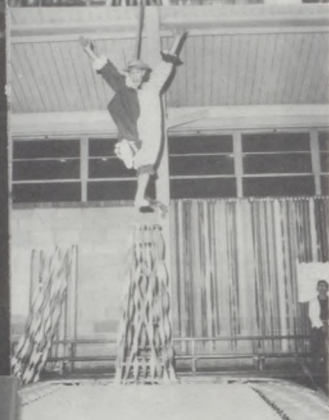
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# Activities



# Mixed Chorus



ROW ONE: Judy Madole, Cain Schleihs, Coralea Jensen, Kathy Aulich, Judy Main, Sandra Madison, Jane Lowry, Ron Flug, Jackie Weatherspoon, Marilyn Gilligan, Joyce Dent, Sandy Reier, Diane Hennings, Kathy McKinley. ROW TWO: Barb Lathrum, Peggy Harvey, Donna Langerak, Marilyn Greif, Lola Jane Harmon, Susane Tanner, Carole May, Jerry Flug, Dave Storey, Nancy Lathrum, Linda Lamb, Karen Doden, Marilyn Fick, Diane Fitzsimmons, Judi McKinley. ROW THREE: Sandra Hennings, Pat Johnson, Karen Kimsey, Susan Moss, Debbie Robinette, Sandy Kimsey, Dianne Gray, Ken Jarvis, Jeff Voorhes, Jim Jones, Dennis Storey, Alicia Brown, Juanita Fogel, Jean Newlin, Jean Jacobson. ROW FOUR: Barb Seeley, Kathy Sorenson, Janet Fraizer, Judy Waddell, Suzi Canon, Sharon Eaton, Denny Lowry, Doug Lyman, Larry Jurgensen, Sharyn Bowman, Carol Brafford, Susan Waddell, Karen Markley.



# Johnston Marching Band





# Marching Band Ensemble



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Suzie Gilligan



Janet Fraizer

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FLAG TWIRLERS

Marilyn Gilligan  
Kathy Aulich  
Sue Strauss

Judy Madole  
Kathy Sorenson  
Sharon Eaton





## Science Club



ROW ONE: Christine Beugin, Leslie Grimes, Dennis Hockmuth, Derald Caruthers, Bob Gibson, Jeff Voorhees. ROW TWO: Harry Leffler, Dana McClaskey, Dennis Storey, Tom Morehead, Dave Storey, Ken Rittgers, Doug Prince, Mr. Krell.

## Nurses Club



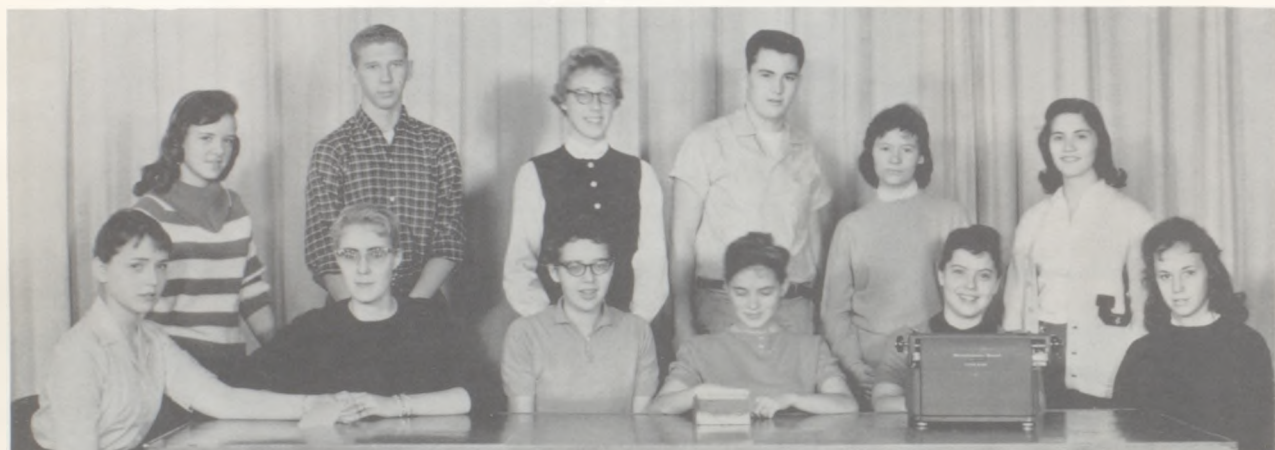
ROW ONE: Mrs. Viola Wehring, Sandra Sweet, Karen Kimsey, Sandra Hennings, Juanita Fogel, Sandra McMains. ROW TWO: Eileen Abbott, Cheryl Bacon, Deane Hennings, Diane Fitzsimmons, Sally Monahan, Lois Madison, Jennie Johns, Janet Rittgers, Sandra Madison. ROW THREE: Pat Russell, Cam Schleih, Jane Lowry, Karen Doden, Margaret Van Oel, Lola Perin, Judi McKinley, Carol Roberts.

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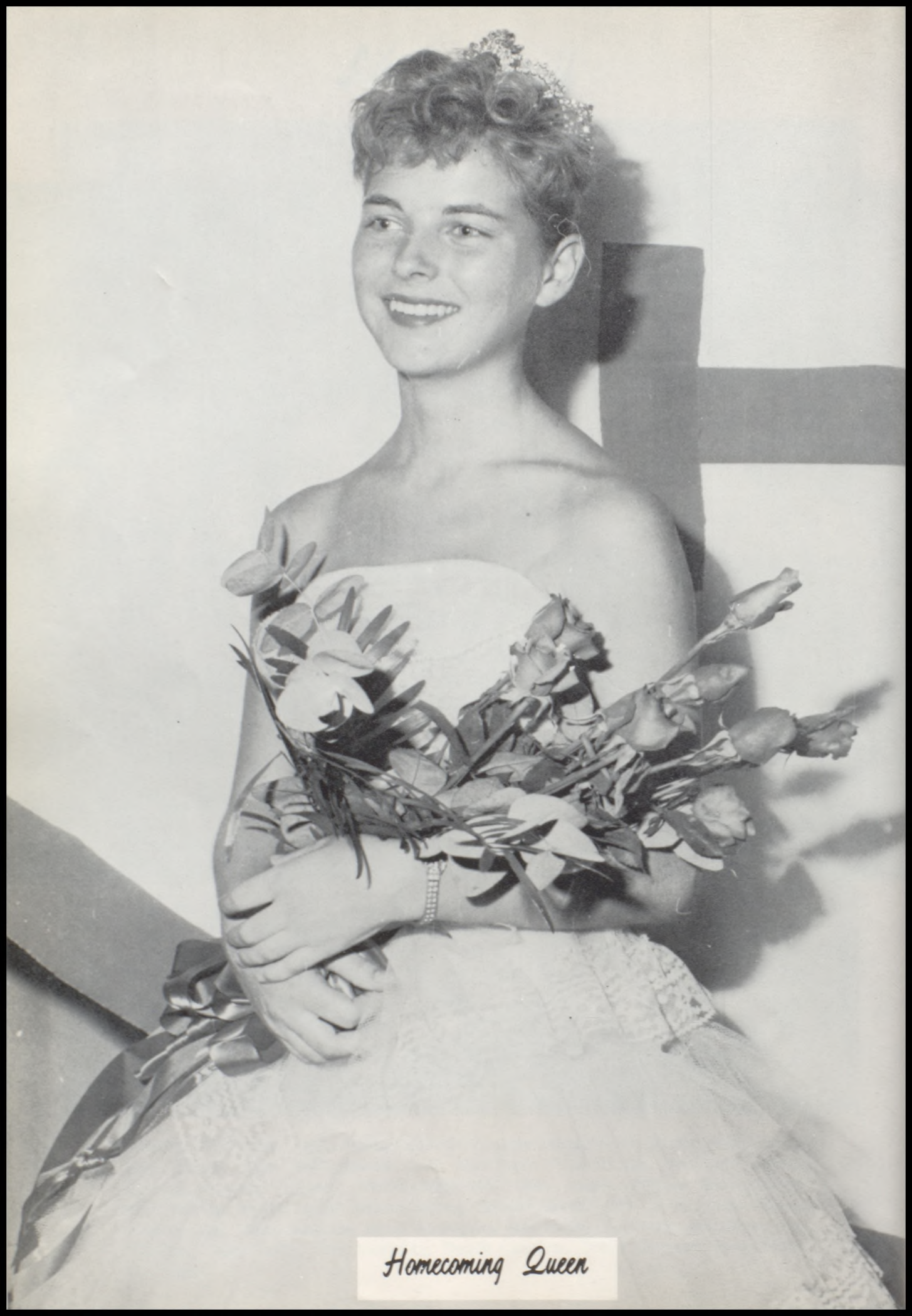


# Honor Society



ROW ONE: Bob Gibson, Alene Aulich, Juanita Fogel, Carole May, Susan Tanner, Tom Morehead. ROW TWO: Mr. Lancaster, Dennis Hockmuth, Dave Storey, Harry Pontious, Harry Leffler, Doug Prince, Fred Schuler, Jackie Weatherspoon. ROW THREE: Peggy Harvey, Pat Johnson, Janice Krantz, Susan Moss, Jean Jacobson, Nancy Lathrum, Donna Clements.





*Homecoming Queen*



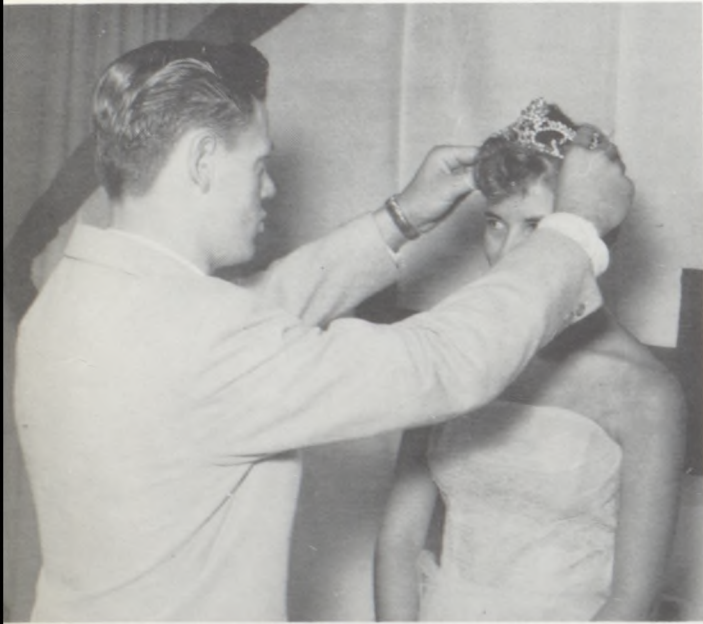
*Homecoming Attendants*













# Basketball Queen





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# DAY





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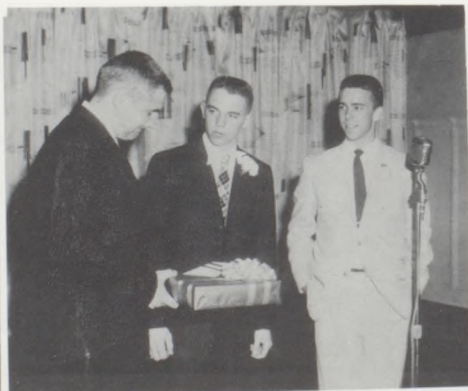




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# SENIOR PLAY







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## *Varsity Football Team*

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# Girls' Basketball



ROW ONE: Peggy Harvey, Jean Jacobson, Marilyn Gilligan, Sue Strauss, Marilyn Greif, Nancy McPherson, Judy Madole, Elvera Seibert, Jacqueline Weatherspoon, Joyce Dent, Karen Kimsey, Sharon Bowman, Katy Tasler. ROW TWO: Cam Schlehs, Judy Main, Karen Doden, Marilyn Fick, Kathy Aulich, Carole May, Coach Ray Pugh, Sharon Mauk, Janet Rittgers, Barbara Lathrum, Nancy Lathrum, Coralea Jensen, Susan Tanner.

## Senior Star

*Katy Tasler*



# Boys' Basketball

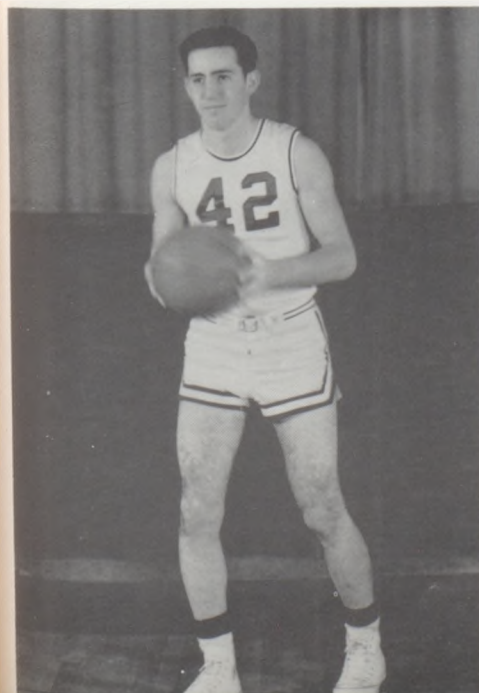


ROW ONE: Coach Harold Schuler, Ken Rittgers, Bob Gibson, Charles May, Dave Hanna, Fred Schuler, Jerry Evans. ROW TWO: Doug Lyman, Jon Schuler, Bob Turner, Ed Bates, Jeff Voorhees, Lee Thiesfeld. ROW THREE: Deck Tasler, Dick McMains, Dennis Storey, Wayne Noehren, Henry Knapp, Fred Grim. ROW FOUR: Brooke Harris, Anthony Rittgers, Jim Rittgers, Leonard Einfeldt, Larry Jurgenson, Joel Fiebig.

Ken Rittgers

Bob Gibson

Lee Thiesfeld





# Track and Baseball Squads



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ROW TWO: Ed Bates, David Hanna, Henry Knapp, Dennis Storey, Wayne Noehren. ROW THREE:  
Bill Winters, Ronald Grim, Jeff Voorhees, John Evans, Jim Rittgers, Doug Lyman, Mr. Pugh.



ROW ONE: Leonard Einfeldt, Bill Beaumont, Robert Stenstrom, Gary Enquist, Mike Reams, Bill Brown, Brooke Harris, Anthony Rittgers. ROW TWO: Jeff Voorhees, Ed Bates, Jon Schuler, David Hanna, Keith Westbrook, Gail Spinden, Doug Lyman. ROW THREE: Raymond Beall, Carl Palmer, Jerry Evans, Bob Gibson, Fred Grim, Joel Fiebig, Mr. Schuler.





## *Letter Club*

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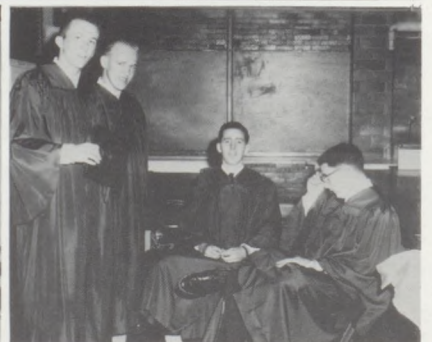
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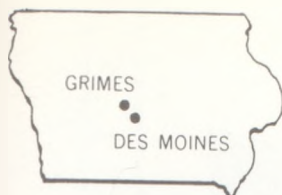
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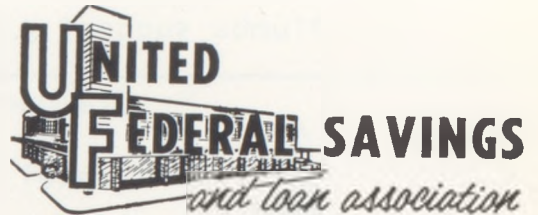
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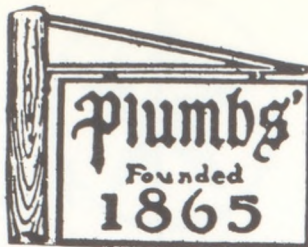
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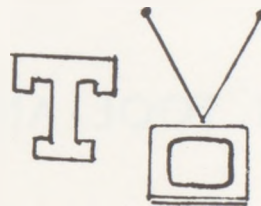
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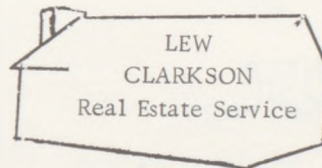
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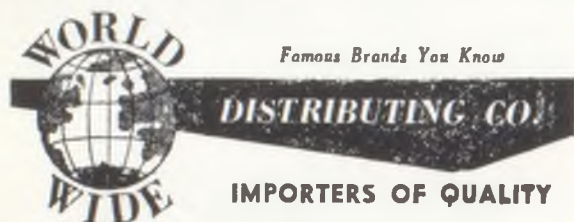
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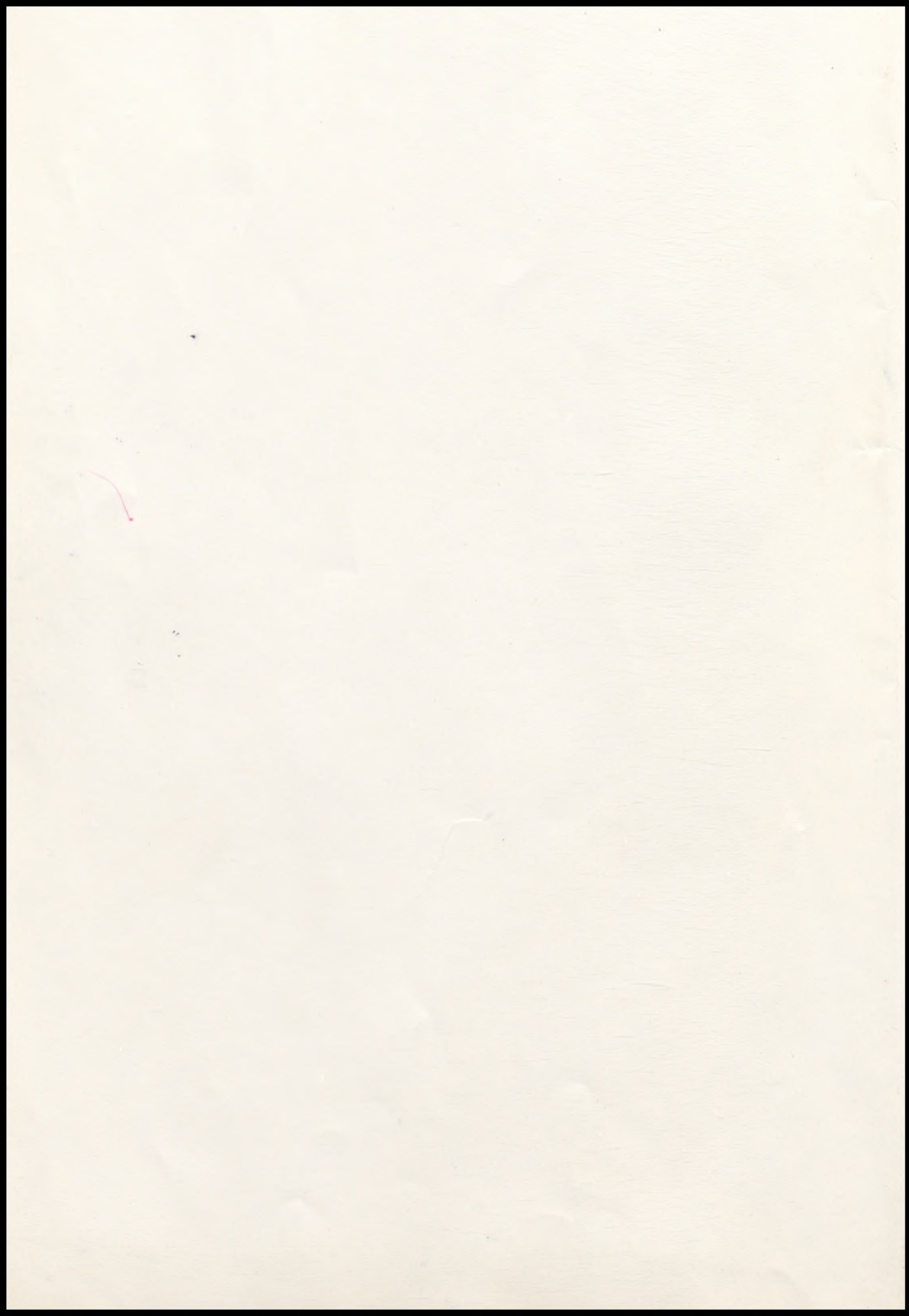
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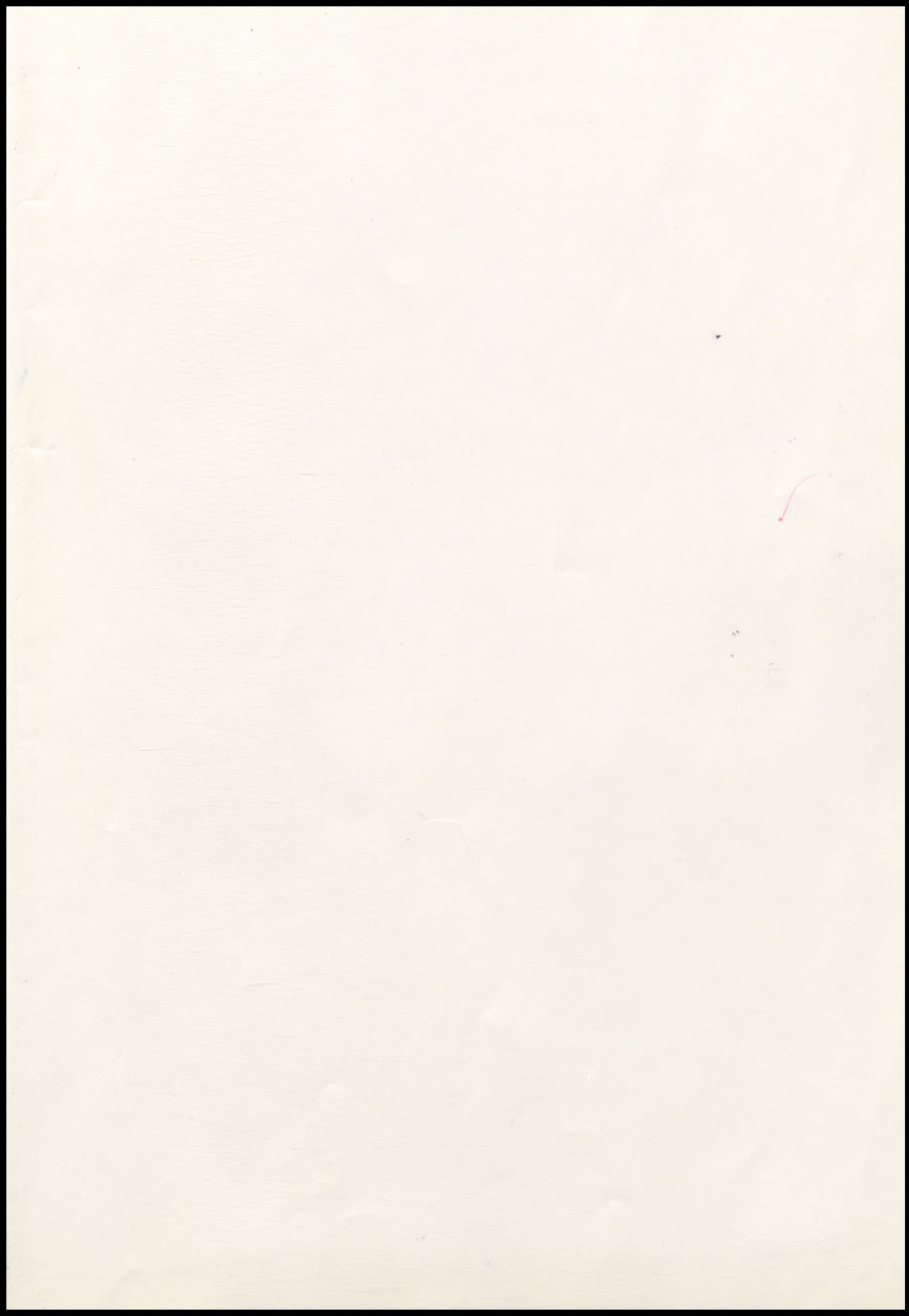
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